

## Message Text

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ACTION NODS-00

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O R 311348Z JAN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7112  
INFO AMEMBASSY VALLETTA

S E C R E T ADDIS ABABA 0467

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VALLETTA FOR ASST SECY MOOSE ONLY

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ET, US  
SUBJECT: US-ETHIOPIAN RELATIONS

REF: STATE 024568

1. I HAVE APPOINTMENT WITH MOFA AMERICAN DEPT DIRECTOR BERHANE  
DERESSA 1 FEB AT 0700 GMT. PLAN TO LEAVE HUMAN RIGHTS  
STATEMENT PLUS DISCUSS OTHER PERSONNEL MATTER ON WHICH I RE-  
CEIVED INSTRUCTIONS 31 JAN.

2. THIS WOULD BE EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO INQUIRE ABOUT  
STATUS OF PRESIDENT'S INITIATIVE BUT AS REQUESTED REFTTEL  
PARA 2 WILL NOT RAISE MATTER UNTIL I HAVE YOUR IN-  
STRUCTIONS.  
MATHERON

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## Message Attributes

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